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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b) is a nonprovisional patent application:

For (Title):

SPORT SHOE WITH IMPACT ABSORBER SYSTEM

By (Inventors):

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8 pages of Specification/Claims 1-3/Abstract are attached. XX Formal drawings (Fig(s), 1-12; 5 sheet(s)) is/are attached.

XX Priority of foreign application No. Pl 0301136-4 filed April 25, 2003 in Brazil is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

The filing fee is calculated below and includes claim status after entry of any Preliminary Amendment noted above:

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| FOR: | NO. FILED | NO. EXTRA | RATE |
| BASIC FEE | | | |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 4 - 20 | = 0 | x 9 = |
| INDEP CLAIMS | 1-3 | = 0 | x 42 = |
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| | \$ 375 | OR | |
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| OR | x 18 | \$ | | |
| OR | x 84 | \$ | | |
| OR | +280 | \$280 | | |
| <u>OR</u> | TOTAL | \$ 1030 | | |

XX A check for the filing fee is not enclosed at this time.

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